City of Las Vegas

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DEPARTMENT: CITY ATTORNEY
DIRECTOR: BRADFORD R. JERBIC □Consent ☑ Discussion
SUBJECT: Discussion and possible action on Appeal of Work Card Denial: Kevin Charles Rowe, 2300 Rock Springs Drive, Apt. #1214, Las Vegas, Nevada 89128
Fiscal Impact
No Impact Augmentation Required
Budget Funds Available
Amount:
Funding Source:
Dept./Division:
PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:
None
RECOMMENDATION:
None None
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BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:
1. Appellant Letter of Appeal
2. City Clerk Notification Letter to Appellant

Motion made by LARRY BROWN to Approve the appeal, thereby granting a site-specific work, subject to a one-year review and the requirement that the appellant report any arrests or citations received within 48 hours to Special Investigations/Business Services

3. Submitted at meeting – Letter of support from Robin Tally

Passed For: 6; Against: 0; Abstain: 1; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 0 RICKI Y. BARLOW, LOIS TARKANIAN, LARRY BROWN, OSCAR B. GOODMAN, GARY REESE, STEVEN D. ROSS; (Against-None); (Abstain-STEVE WOLFSON); (Did Not Vote-None); (Excused-None)

NOTE: COUNCILMAN WOLFSON disclosed that he would be abstaining due to a recent professional relationship with MR. ROWE.

Minutes:

The appellant was present.

STACI RODD, Detective, Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department (Metro), referred to the confidential report for MR. ROWE's criminal history.

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MR. ROWE explicated that he made mistakes. Fortunately, JUDGE VALERIE VEGA gave him three-years probation instead of sending him to prison. He has tried very hard stay out of trouble, so that he can work to pay his fines. He is on probation for three years and reports once a month to the probation officer to prove that he is paying his fines.

His supervisor, MS. TALLY, came forward and expressed her support of employing MR. ROWE. She noted that he has been with the company for seven years and is a very hard worker. She wrote two letters of support.

COUNCILMAN REESE expressed reservations about prior violations reoccurring, especially with the problems in Ward 3 and because convenience stores tend to attract teenagers. MS. TALLY assured COUNCILMAN REESE that she has put security measures in place to constantly monitor MR. ROWE's activity, and she can also monitor him on the web.

After verifying with MS. TALLY that the issues that occurred did not happen at her store, COUNCILMAN ROSS expressed his gratitude to her for standing behind MR. ROWE.

DETECTIVE RODD acknowledged receipt of two letters from the employer, which he submitted for the minutes.

COUNCILMAN BARLOW expressed his desire to tie the restrictions on the work card to the probation, for better monitoring. DETECTIVE RODD suggested imposing a condition requiring the appellant to report any arrests or citations received within 48 hours to Special Investigations/Business Services.

AMY MARIE ROWE came forward in support of her husband and assured the Council that they are doing everything possible to avoid problems and stay on track.

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